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Ms. Mildred Lee INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION 12th Street & Constitional Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20423 Room #2303

ICC Washington, D. C.

Dear Ms. Lee:

We enclose a Lease Agreement dated February 21, 1984 respecting 12 covered hopper cars leased by Rex Railways, Inc., 616 Palisade Avenue, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey 07632 (lessor) to Lenawee County Railroad Co., Inc., 708 East Michigan Street, Adrian, Michigan 49221 (lessee). There is an original and a copy enclosed along with our check for \$10 to the ICC. These are primary documents.

Please record and send back to us.

President

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Interstate Commerce Commission Washington, D.C. 20423

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Mark A. Salitan, President

Rex Railways, Inc.

616 Palisade Ave.

Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey 07632

Dear Sir:

The enclosed document(s) was recorded pursuant to the provisions of Section 11303 of the Interstate Commerce Act,49 U.S.C. 11303, on 10/29/84 at 3:30pm and assigned rerecordation number(s). 14461 & 14462

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

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REXRAILWAYS

February 21, 1984

AECORDATION NO. _____Fred 1425

Mr. Charles Lockwood President Lenawee County Railroad Co., Inc. 708 East Michigan Street Adrian, MI 49221

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Dear Charlie:

Rex Railways is pleased to submit our Lease Agreement for twelve (12) Jumbo Covered Hopper Cars, for lease to your company, the Lenawee County Railroad Company, Inc.

Our proposal is as follows:

- 1) Description: 4650 cubic foot, 4 compartment, 100 ton cars, built for umler purposes 1981 cost \$47,300.00.
- 2) Per Diem and Mileage Rates: 92¢ per hour,
 .081¢ per mile.
- 3) Delivery to LCRC: For the account of Rex.
- 4) Property Taxes and Insurance: for the account of Rex.
- 5) Lease Rate: 60% of all off line car hire earned for Rex, 40% for LCRC.
- 6) Maintenance: For the account of Rex.
- 7) Lease Term: 2 years from date of delivery of last car, with a oneway cancellation clause on the part of Rex should off line utilization be less than 60% for any consecutive two (2) months, after cars have been on LCRC line for two (2) whole months. Rex must notify LCRC of same in writing thirty (30) days prior to taking back of the cars.



Car Accounting and Payment: LCRC will do all car accounting and forward Rex rental within thirty (30) days of receipt of same.

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To: Charles Lockwood From: Rex Railways

- 9) Lease Termination: At termination of the Lease Agreement, either through expiration of two (2) year term, or by utilization being less than 60% as described in paragraph #7, the LCRC agrees to the following:
 - (a) Store cars free on line for 90 days.
 - (b) Move cars free of charge to interchange.
 - (c) Remark cars as directed by Rex as follows:
 - Free if lease is terminated prior to two (2) years as described in paragraph 7.
 - At Rex's cost if lease expires at end of two (2) years.
- 10) Bad Order Repairs: Any cars which are bad ordered on LCRC line, will be treated as a foreign car under Rule 107.
- 11) Conflict of interest, affirmative action, record keeping provisions as required by current Operating Agreement between Lenawee County Railroad Company, Inc. and Michigan Department of Transportation are incorporated into this Lease Agreement by the addition of Exhibit A and Appendix A, attached hereto and hereby made a part of this Agreement.

If this proposal is agreeable, please sign and notarize three (3) copies on the signature page at the end of contract, and return to my attention. This will be considered as our lease agreement, and will be binding on both parties.

Peter Schan Vice President

Very truly

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EXHIBIT "A"

ONE: No director, officer or employee of the Lenawee County Railroad Company, Inc. during their tenure or for one (1) year thereafter shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in this lease or the proceeds thereof.

TWO: In connection with this lease the parties hereto (hereinafter in Appendix "A" referred to as the
"Contractor") agree to comply with the State of Michigan provisions for "Prohibition of Descrimination in.
State Contracts, "as set forth in Appendix "A" attached
hereto and made a part hereof. The parties hereto
further covenant that they will comply with the Civil
Rights Act of 1964, being P. L. 88-352, 78 Stat. 241 as
amended, being Title 42 U.S.C. Sections 1971, 1975a1975d and 2000a-2000h-6.

THREE: Lenawee County Railroad Company, Inc. and the Lessor shall make available to the auditors of the State of Michigan or of any governmental agency having jurisdiction over Lenawee County Railroad Company, Inc. the records of revenues and costs related to this lease. All such records for each year will be kept for a period of at least four (4) years after the end of that particular year, and any such records that are the subject of an auditing dispute shall be kept for the term of that dispute. The parties hereto shall allow inspection of the above described records by the authorized agents of the State of Michigan during regular business hours upon reasonable notice.

May, 1981

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APPENDIX A PROHIBITION OF DISCRIMINATION IN STATE CONTRACTS

In connection with the performance of work under this convect the contractor agrees as follows:

- I. In accordance with Act No. 453, Public Acts of 1976, the contractor hereby agrees not to discriminate against an employee or applicant for employment with respect to hire, tenure, terms, conditions, or privileges of employment, or a matter directly or indirectly related to employment, because of race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, height, weight, or merital status. Further, in accordance with Act No. 220, Public Acts of 1970 as amended by Act No. 478, Public Acts of 1960 the contractor hereby agrees not to discriminate against an employee or applicant for employment with respect to hire, tenure, terms, conditions, or privileges of employment, or a matter directly or indirectly related to employment, because of a hendicap that is unrelated to the individual's ability to perform the duties of a particular job or position. A breach of the above covenants shall be regarded as a material breach of this contract.
- The contracter hereby agrees that any and all subcontracts to this contract, whereby a partion of the work set forth in this contract is to be performed, shall contain a covenant the same as hereinbefore set forth in Section 1 of this Appendix.
- 3. The contractor will take affirmative action to insure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their roce, color, religion, national origin, age, sax, height, weight, mental status or a handicap that is unrelated to the individual's ability to perform the duties of a particular job or position. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, lacinding apprenticeship.
- 4. The contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, height, weight, marital status or handicap that is unrelated to the individuals ability to perform the duties of a particular job or position.
- 5. The contractor or his collective bargaining representative will send to each labor union or representative of wakers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice advising the said labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this appendix.
- 6. The contractor will comply with all relevant published rules, regulations, directives, and orders of the Michigan Civil Rights Commission which may be in effect prior to the taking of bids for any individual
- 7. The contractor will furnish and file compliance reports within such time and upon such forms as provided by the Michigan Civil Rights Commission, said forms may also elicit information as to the practices, policies, program, and employment statistics of each subcontractor as well, as the contractor himself, and said contractor will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the Michigan Civil Rights Commission, and/or its agent, for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with this contract and relevant with rules, regulations, and orders of the Michigan Civil Rights Commission.
- 3. In the event that the Civil Rights Commission® finds, after a hearing held pursuant to its rules, that a contractor has not complied with the contractual obligations under this agreement, the Civil Rights Commission may, as part of its order based upon such findings, certify said findings to the Administrative Board of the State of Michigas, which Administrative Board may order the cancellation of the contract found to have been violated, and/or declare the contractor ineligible for future contracts with the state and its political and civil subdivisions, departments, and officers, and including the governing boards of institutions of higher education, until the contractor complies with said order of the Civil Rights Commission. Notice of said declarement of future ineligibility may be given to any or all of the persons with whom the contractor is declared ineligible to contract as a contracting party in future contracts. In any cuse before the Civil Rights Commission in which cancellation of an existing contract is a pessibility, the contracting agency shall be notified of such pessible remedy and shall be given the option by the Civil Rights Commission to participate in such proceedings.
- 9. The contractor will include, or incorporate by reference, the provisions of the foregoing paragraphs (1) though (8) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by the rules, regulations or orders of the Michigan Civil Rights Commission, and will provide in every subcontract or purchase order that said provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or peller.

[.] The Civil Rights Commission released to is the Michigan Civil Rights Commission.

Notary: NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY My Commission Expires Oct. 22, 1984

Notary:

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 8th day of June 1984.

Rex Railways, Inc.

Accepted and Approved Subject to

State of Michigan Approval

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Lenawee County Railroad Co.,

JOYCE J. BAKEWELL

Notary Public, Lenawee County, MI My Commission Expires April 17, 1985

APPROVED Director, Michigan Department of

Transportation

Date